THE HERALD.

JNO. A. MACMURPHY, - EDITOR.

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Our Club List.

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WAHOO had to shut up her schools for several days on account of scarcity of fuel.

GEN. W. B. HAZEN has been appointed chief signal officer, by the president.

WE have received the first copy of the Glenwood Daily Journal, which is small, but plumb full and newsy.

The Clay Co. Globe and the Sutton Register have been consolidated, and will hereafter be the Register alone.

OUR old M. H. Hathaway has been having a surprising time. The old chap seems to enjoy chicken and "sich."

ANYONE desiring a half membership ticket to Miller's Mercantile College, Keokuk, Iowa, can obtain one cheap by applying at this office.

IF Hitchcock should get a place in the cabinet, and Judge Dundy, perchance, go to the senate, Nebraska would have a strong team at Washington.

THE Lincoln Globe sums up the U. S. Senatorial vote in the next Legislature as follows: Paddock, 39; Van Wyck, 28; Dundy, 19; Weaver, 11; Mason, 7; doubtful, 10.

GEO. ALFRED TOWNSEND, "Gath," was arrested for libel at the instance of Joseph Hart, publisher of "Truth." Whitelaw Reid and Gen. Anson Cook went on Gath's bond.

THE United Kingdom of England Scotland, Ireland and Wales, with the Isles of Man and Jersey, only have 157 daily newspapers. The United States and Canada have 899 of 'em.

BRIG. GEN. ORD has retired from service, and Gen. N. A. Miles has been appointed in his stead. Gen. Ord was stationed some years ago at Omaha. His daughter was recently married to Gen. Trevine, of Mexico.

CHRIST, GERBER, Wholesale Hardware, says:—The Excelsior Kidney Pad has accomplished more for my wife in three weeks than all the medicine she has taken in three years. Refer all skeptics to me.—See Adv.

THE Lincoln Democrat thinks that Collins—a Blaine-Garfield man—was rather left out when Laird and Thurston—Grant electors—elected Thurston to carry the news to Hiram of how Neb. voted. Oh shaw—we've "fit" that fight.

CONGRESS, the congress No. 46, opened in fine style on Monday last. Members from both parties met and shook hands cordially. The President's Message was duly read and is now before the people in many papers. We will give a synopsis on the outside next week.

WINDHAM'S boom for speaker keeps a growing. One of the best posted politicians in the state informed us at Lincoln, the other day, that he thought his chances better than any man's except Howe, and Howe's energy and skill at managing might drive him through.

WE have received a copy of the Juniatta Herald printed up and down, across, cat-a-cornered and every which way, with an x to exchange, we are already sending a straight up and down copy, and if it's such an affair as they sent us they want we shall have to decline. Our press doesn't print papers on the cat-a-cornered principle.

SARA BERNHARDT came to this country to exhibit her wonderful skill as an actress and delineator of character, not as a moral envoy. If you don't like her don't go to see her, but as she is filling her part of the contract, and as few here know the real facts about her life, perhaps her private character had better be left for her to settle with her conscience.

ENDYMION (Beaconsfield) says: "Every political party changes its principles on an average of once in ten years."

What if a party has no principles?

He also says: "All lawyers are loose in their youth." That must apply to England alone, for some of our young lawyers were tight in their youth.

WE have received from the State Journal Co., a most excellent map of the state of Nebraska which they declare to be absolutely correct at the date of issue, last July. It is large, clearly printed, containing the various lines of railroad up to date, gives the land offices surveyor General's office, military and Indian reservations, &c., &c. This map is offered as a premium with the weekly Journal, and the two may be obtained at this office together with the NEBRASKA HERALD for one year at the rate of $3.20. The map is a most valuable thing to have, and the Weekly State Journal is an excellent paper.

THE Lincoln papers insist that there is going to be a great temperance fight this winter, &c., and seem to have a fund of information on the matter not accessible to common mortals elsewhere. One statement says there are petitions out all over Cass county with hundreds of signers. On inquiry we learn that no petitions have as yet been circulated, but some were sent here from the Lincoln headquarters, and they will be circulated more or less before the legislature meets.

We hope for the honor and credit of the State, the legislators this winter will have manhood enough and brains enough to represent the people who sent them there themselves, whether it be on the temperance question or any other, and not let a set of demagogues, some of them mere adventurers from other states, lobby and dictate and control the making of laws in this State. If there is any temperance legislation needed let the members originate it, manage it and stand responsible for it, and we further hope who ever may be elected speaker will never allow the lobbies and aisles to be crowded with outsiders, to whisper suggestions and make comments and interlinetions and amendments during the passage of a bill. Such scenes are disgraceful, for if the members cannot be trusted to act for themselves without a spy or a mentor at their elbow during legislative hours, we had better send men whom we can trust.

As to the "fight this winter," we should not waste the people's money, the legislators time and gratify some people's vanity by giving them notoriety as the "champions of the emperance cause." If a fair and respectable showing is made to the legislature, by petition or otherwise, that the people desire this question acted on, we would pass the shortest, quickest bill we could, to provide for a constitutional prohibitory amendment, and send it to the people to decide at a special election, thus the matter may stand on its own merits.

THE Nebraska City News says: "Surveyers are busy in Nemaha and it is said are locating a new bridge somewhere between Aspinwall and Nemaha city. The bridge is intended to be used by the branch of the B. & M. now being built through Nebraska and Nemaha counties.

We sincerely trust that the news regarding the building of this new bridge is not true, for it would again leave Nebraska City out in the cold.

A new railroad town has been laid out about a mile south of Sheridan, called Pipersville, in honor of Dr. Piper, who formerly owned the land where the town site is located. It is claimed by those who ought to know that there will soon be a regular stampede from Brownville, Nemaha City, Sheridan and other small towns to Pipersville, and that it is destined to be the "future great" of Nemaha county. Pipersville is situated upon the banks of the classic Nemaha."

The Forgers indicted.

NEW YORK, December 3.—The indictment against Philp, Hart, Byrne and Post, charged the first named for writing and the others for publishing on the 12th of October last the editorial headed "Lying and Sticking to it" in the Truth newspaper, and also publishing the alleged Garfield Chinese letter and fac simile of it, and, by these means unlawfully, wickedly, and maliciously devising, as much as in them lay, to injure James A. Garfield and bring him into public scandal and disgrace, and to deprive him of his good fame, credit and reputation, and to the great scandal and injury of James A. Garfield, and against the peace of the people of the State of New York and their dignity." These parties are charged with criminal libel, penalty of which is a year in the penitentiary and $450 fine. The bail given by Philp after the examination by Judge Davis was continued. Post and Hart came to the district attorney's office this afternoon to give bail, but Judge Cowing having gone home, they were allowed to go on their own responsibility until tomorrow, when they will furnish the necessary bonds. It is probable that now Morey has been indicted for perjury he will be removed from the house of correction to the Tombs. All the indicted parties, it is said, will be arraigned in the court of general sessions on Monday next.

To show how good a guesser our Democratic friend Vifquain is, we copy from the Democrat of a few weeks before Election as below. If he can't guess closer on "Triffa" Anti Monop U. S. Senator, his opinions won't make his fortune.

Good news from Nemaha. Broady and his ticket will be elected by a large majority, and Nemaha will be redeemed. Broady carries everything by storm, and Daily and Church are knifing one another. Richardson, Nemaha, Sarpy, Cass, Douglas, Burt, Dakota and Saunders will send twenty-seven democrats to the next legislature; a gain of thirteen over the last session. If the balance of the state does only half as well as the river counties, the next legislature will be surely democratic.

F. C.

A Farmer's Convention is called to meet in Lincoln, Jan. 5th, at which the interests of the agricultural fraternity will be discussed, and measures advocated to present to the Legislature we suppose. The call originates from Gage county.

Union Pacific Appointments.

Upon the appointment of Mr T. L. Kimball to the position of Assistant General Manager of the Union Pacific railroad he issued the following order:

UNION PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.,
GENERAL MANAGER'S OFFICE,
OMAHA, December 1, 1880.

Mr C. L. Stebbins has this day been appointed General Ticket Agent of this company, with headquarters at Omaha, Nebraska.

He will have charge of the through and local ticket departments, and will control the making of rates and divisions. All communications relating to these matters, and all ticket reports from foreign roads should be addressed to him.

Mr. J. W. Morse is appointed General Passenger Agent, with headquarters at Omaha.

He will be in charge of the traveling agencies, advertising and commission matters of the Passenger department of this company, east of the State of Nevada.

Mr. D. W. Hitchcock is hereby appointed General Western Passenger Agent of this company. He will have charge of passenger business, traveling agencies, advertising and commission matters of the line in his district, which will comprise the territory west of Utah and Idaho, including the Sandwich Islands, Australia and Japan.

Till further notice, his headquarters will be at San Francisco, California.

THOS. L. KIMBALL,
Ass't Gen'l Manager.

Great Fire at Omaha.

Iler's liquor store, on Farnam street, Omaha, was found on fire about 2 a. m. Tuesday, and was burning when the morning papers went to press. Iler's and Collins' stores and stock were completely destroyed. The goods more or less were moved out of all the buildings west of there in the block, except from Burts' crockery store, and that was left, as to move it carelessly would damage it as much as fire. Happily the flames were at last subdued, and other property in the block saved.

THE Inter Ocean has started a "Cabinet-factory" in which all creation may write their preferences for President Garfield's cabinet. Among the rest the following presents a queer collection.

SPENCER, W. VA.—As I have positive opinions in regard to the incoming administration, I will make the following suggestions: Secretary of State, E. B. Washburne; Secretary of the Treasury, James B. Weaver; Secretary of War, Stewart L. Woodford; Secretary of the Navy, Benjamin H. Bristow; Secretary of the Interior, Carl Shurz; Attorney General, Stanley Matthews; Postmaster General, Marshall Jewell. Most of the persons named have been tried and rendered satisfaction. JOHN A. HOUSE.

WE have received the following from Fremont, and add our mite that we hope the next lot of Legislators will have the sense and manhood to consider decent, respectable advice when suggested by fair and honest newspaper editors.

FREMONT, NEB., Dec. 6, 1880

To Publishers Herald, Plattsmouth, Neb.

The dispute and dissatisfaction arising out of the "Revenue Law" enacted by the last Legislature, and especially as it effects the interests of newspaper men, call for some action on our part at the coming session that will better protect our interests and secure justice and fair remuneration for our labor. Cannot we present this matter to the members elect to the Legislature from our several counties, and urge upon them to use their influence to repeal or modify this law, so as to secure at least a fair treatment to newspaper publishers? All concede that the provisions of this law, in these respects, are bungling and contradictory, and lead to dispute, and if modified, it ought to be in such a manner as will secure to us what is confessed justice. Please present this matter to your members, and let them understand the facts of the case, which are generally but little understood.

Fraternally,

SMAILS & BRO.,
Pub's Fremont Herald.
GEO. HAMMOND & SON,
Pub's. Fremont Tribune.

N. B.—In this connection it will be of interest to Nebraska publishers to know that a case is already up for trial at the April term of our (Dodge county) District Court, involving the right of county commissioners to order the tax list published and to pay for the same. We published the list in this county, the present year, by direction of the Board, the bill was allowed, a warrant ordered drawn, but payment of the same was enjoined by a tax-payer under the provisions of a section in the "Revenue Law" which gives the right of appeal from any bill allowed by the board. If this action can be sustained, it could also recover back money which had been paid—this may interest some of our brother publishers. We shall contest the action in every reasonable way; in the meantime, let us use our efforts to avoid such injustice in the future by securing the repeal of the present unjust and unreasonable law, placing the matter where it stood before.

Weeping Water Directory.

ED. HERALD:—Several weeks ago I promised the readers of your valuable paper a thorough review of Weeping Water.

Election news so filled your paper at that time, that I had to postpone it until after election, that past, I have been so busy that I have neglected it until now.

So much by way of introduction.

I consider it unnecessary to repeat what has been so often given through the HERALD, viz, a brief history of Weeping Water; suffice it to say that Weeping Water is a thriving little place situated about 1½ miles from the geographical centre of Cass Co., and 21 miles from Plattsmouth, the County Seat of Cass Co. Commencing at the east end and on the south side of our main business street, I will give you a brief notice of all our business houses:

Misses E. and L. Bates, milliners, dressmakers and hair-dressers.

Mrs. A. Joseph, milliner and dressmaker.

D. E. Jones, blacksmith.

C. Russell, wagon maker and wagon painter.

G. Barry, harness maker keeps a good stock of fine and work harness, saddles, collars, whips, horse blankets, lap robes, &c., and turns out good heme made harness of all kinds, with promptness and dispatch.

"C. Thorngate, furniture of all kinds, burialcases and caskets, musical instruments, sheet music; agent for Singer sewing machines, sewing machine supplies furnished for any make of machine.

Five, ten and fifteen cent counters, a choice assortment, Fleming & Hoe, dry goods, groceries, crockery, queensware, japolica ware, boots and shoes, wall paper, wooden ware, and trunks.

Chase & Beardsley, up stairs, furniture, burial cases and caskets, oil pictures, &c. J. Chase, agent for Mason & Hamlin organs. Chase & Beardsley down stairs, hardware, cutlery, stoves and tinware, guns and revolvers, good and only assortment in W. W. J. Chase, notary public and collection agent.

P. S. Barnes, drugs, chemicals and medicines, glass and glassware, white lead, paints and oils, choice assortment of pipes and smokers' articles, stationary, school books, confectionery, and canned goods, a very fine and choice assortment of solid gold and gold plated jewelry at Chicago prices.

Reed Bros., dry goods, groceries crockery, glassware, wood and willow ware, a choice assortment of good jewelry, boots and shoes, &c, &c., agents for the Wilson sewing machine, E. L. Reed, Postmaster. W. W. bank of Reed Bros. are doing a general banking business.

S. A. Ripley keeps a neat and commodius meat market where beef, pork, venison, mutton, turkeys, chickens, &c. can be had at any time in their season.

I. O. O. F. have a flourishing lodge, lodge rooms over S. A. Ripley's meat market.

Barnes & Parkins, implement and farm machinery.

Thomas Bull wagon maker.

M. G. Reeves, blacksmith.

G. Sigler, livery stable, carries U. S. mail to Plattsmouth, Eagle and Centre Valley.

M. M. Butler, M. D. physician and Surgeon.

F. M. Wolcott, B. & M. R. R. land agent.

W. Myers, M. D. physician.

G. W Lambing, blacksmith.

A. J. McDonald, restaurant.

F. X. Brossmer, house, sign and carriage painter.

J. W. Thomas, M. D. physician and surgeon.

A. L. Hawley, watches and jewelry repaired, confectionery fruits, cigars and tobaccos.

D. T. Dudley, temperance billiard hall and dealer in confectionery, nuts, fruits and canned goods, fresh and warm roasted peanuts at all hours.

O. T. Wilson, barber and hairdresser.

Yeomans & Sidmore, livery and feed stable.

W. D. Gibbon, M. D. physician and surgeon.

J. Marshall & Son, keep the only exclusive boot and shoe store in W. W., three good workmen are employed in the manufacturing department. A. L. Marshall, drugs, chemicals, and medicines, cigars, confectionery, books stationary and news depot. A. L. Marshall has just started a circulating library with nearly 200 volumes, new books added as they are published.

Misses E. and A. Calkins, dressmakers and milliners, have a fine assortment of millinery always on hand

Weeping Water House, P. L. Thorp, proprietor.

Woods Bros., hardware, cutlery, stoves and tinware.

Johnson Bros., insurance agents, and agents for the Iron Turbine wind mill, pumps &c.

T. Bull & Co., carpenters and builders.

Hoggett & Coglizer, well diggers and well borers, have one of the best and latest improved augur and drill combined and are prepared to drill through dirt or rock to good water.

We have two good stone churches in W. W., Congregational, pastor Rev. Mr. Graves, and Methodist E. pastor Rev. P. S. Mather; also a good graded school.

MILLS.

We have three good flour and feed mills run by water power, within a radius of three miles all turning out excellent flour. Valley or Upper Mills, west of W. W., J. S. Tewksbury, prop.; W. W. mills in W. W., S. Clinton, prop.; Cascade or Lower mills, east of W. W., Mr. Lewis, prop.

Trusting I have rendered this brief notice satisfactory to all, I remain

Very Respectfully,
TRIXY.

Weeping Water Items.

Mr. Chaney lectured here on Temperence on Sunday and Monday nights he was well liked, and think he accomplished much good.

Henry Fleming was in town on day.

A. L. Hawley has sold his jewelry to Reed Bros., and clocks to Chase & Beardsley, but will still repair your watches, clocks, sewing machines, or sell you confectionery, &c.

Trixy has been to see Dr. W. D. Gibbon's flock of sheep, in number 185, they are graded from Cotswolds and Southdowns, and look well with fine long fleeces. He has two choice pure-bred Cotswold rams, bought of W. D. Shaw, Adams county, Iowa, bred by J. L. Patterson, Kentucky, an old importer of pure bred stock. They are only yearlings, and the larger one weighs 185 lbs.

O. T. Wilson has gone to house-keeping, and has rented the upstair rooms of D. T. Dudley. Mrs. O. T. Wilson has gone to W. Horton's for a short season to take charge of the house. Mrs. Horton goes east for a few weeks to visit relatives. "Poor Ote.

Mrs. J. T. Marshall has returned from a two week's visit at her home in Plattsmouth. Her father, C. P. Smith has been seriously sick for several weeks past. More Soon. TRIXY.

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 4th, 1880.

EDITOR HERALD:—Knowing the avidity of your appetite for news from all points in the county, including this benighted locality—"this so called civilized community" (see your article on the Hoffmeister trial), and the promptitude with which you seize upon items, "I take my pen in hand."

Now, Mr. Editor, you may look at this Hoffmeister case from a more elevated standpoint than we of the "so called" can, yet allow us to suggest that, although it may be clear and cool up there, the distance may render some of the more minute objects indistinct; and to suggest, also, that there are lamentable occurrences in various communities—possibly your own—which are brought about by circumstances that should palliate the charge of great moral obliquity. The jury acquitted Hoffmeister, and we hardly see how it could have done otherwise, considering the testimony that was brought before it, and the omission of everything touching his character. But could the jury have been made acquainted with some of the causes which led to the house stoning, such as nocturnal raids on wood and coal piles, quarrelsome disposition, stealing school boys' hats for kindling, indecencies too vile for print, and others that might be named, the verdict might have been different, and our friend HERALD's criticism might have been made to reflect less seriously on us as a community.

A word as to "the boys" may not be out of place. The clearing of Hoffmeister was virtually saying that they were the real cause of the manslaughter. Perfection is not the characteristic of youth. We believe the old saying that the average boy is a "harp of a thousand strings" with many of them out of tune, as in this instance, and yet, we who know those boys know that they were punished far more by learning that their acts had led to the killing of an innocent man than by all the fines and imprisonments which the law could lay upon them. We would not complain because the boys were punished. We believe they deserved all they received, and perhaps much more, but punishment is more valuable when it is impartially administered. How was it in this case? Several of the boys were fined here by our Justice of the Peace. It was claimed by some in the HERALD's neighborhood that our Squire was too lenient, so two were tried by the County Judge. Both pleaded guilty and were fined five times as much as those who were tried here, and sentenced to fifteen days in the county jail. One was a poor boy, without influential friends, and had to serve out his allotted time. The other is a nephew of one of the wealthiest citizens of Plattsmouth. His case was appealed and he was let out on bail to appear at the district court. When the time arrived for his trial, his case was *nolle pros'd*, so we are told by those attending court Mr. Editor, will you be kind enough to ascertain if such is the case, and if so inform us of the fact, and explain to me wherein the action was justifiable, and to what extent we may expect such judicial partiality to advance the civilization of this community. The only cases connected with the shooting of that innocent man which were disposed of at the last term of court, were those of Hoffmeister and one of "the boys," who plead guilty in the lower court. Both were acquitted. Now, here is the problem which bothers us, viz: If Hoffmeister is cleared on account of the depredations of the boys, and one of the boys goes free on account of—well, we don't know what—then who is the guilty party, should he be punished, and what is the exact amount of censure which should be charged up to Louisville for being the scene of the calamity?

The bridge across the Platte at this point is in good, slick running order. We can afford to keep it crossable so long as thermometers remain down.

Politics is frozen up or gone into winter quarters. Even Bas is silent on the subject. Is Bro. Hartigan silent too? The milk of human kindness is ever ready to gush for a fellow that is down, so we drop a silent tear for him and pass on.

Farmers hereabouts wear pleasant countenances. Everything they have to sell is way up. Grain buyers are distributing cash at a lively rate. Glover and Ossenkepp have gone into the hog business. Williams and Carpenter appear on "the fair grounds" occasionally and see to it that farmers get all their hogs are worth.

Toman informs us that R. R. business is booming. The Co. will give him an assistant operator next week.

Conrad Schlater is one of J. V. Glover's efficient salesmen this winter.

It is said that the famous Pankonin road is haunted. For particulars apply to Dr. Hasemeier of this place, or to Geo. S. Smith of Plattsmouth.

Graham & Jenkins steam thresher has come home to winter. If you wish your corn shelled in a hurry give the firm a call.

Squire Cleghorn and Frank Fetzer have each put up a new residence since cold weather began.

Leap year is nearing a close. The boys here say that the girls have not improved their opportunities. Dr. Hasemeier, John Jackman and Bas Ramsey have been ready to entertain leap year proposals for a long weary year, and as the year closes their countenances lengthen. Girls, don't be backward, for they are in earnest and will make good beneficts.

School is crowded and the cry is, still they come." QUILL.

NOTE—Please to remember that the editor of this paper was away during the Hoffmeister muss, and heard but little of it at the time; consequently had nothing but the evidence in court to judge by, and you admit that should have acquitted H. (*Our* community is Cass county, not Plattsmouth.)

We made inquiries of more than one Louisvillean during court and could hear nothing against H's character. Be that as it may, however, it does not justify the stoning, &c. If H. did wrong, grown men, Americans, with a full knowledge of our laws should have attended to Mr. H., and never allowed boys to think they could right wrong doing in an illegal way.

We never heard of the "*nolle pros'd*," either, and do not at this writing know who is meant. While gently suggesting that a newspaper is not a private detective, nor always on hand when a minor trial comes off, we yet, to please our friend "Quill," will make some inquiries why this is thusly.—ED. HERALD.

Our Temperance Column.

EDITED BY THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

"For God, and home, and Native Land."

Total Abstinence in England.

A few months ago we asked Mr. Gough, who had just returned from England, if the cause of temperance is making progress in that country. He seemed almost surprised at the question, and answered with emphasis that the cause is progressing there far more rapidly than in this country. He mentioned among other evidences the fact that five or six thousand of the Established clergy have signed the pledge, and have appealed to their fellow-subjects to imitate their example. Since then we have been able to make further inquiries, and learn with gratification that the agitation in Great Britain is general and most fruitful of good results. We were aware that Canon Farrar had become an advocate of total abstinence, and that he stood not quite alone in the position he had chosen, but we did not know until recently that he represents a movement of formidable proportions.

The cause is not so strong in England as in America. Drinking is far more general there, and even the reling as part of the population indulge in the habit to a dreadful extent. But the advocates of total abstinence are gaining ground rapidly, while with us they seem to be standing still, or even retreating. Ten years ago the travelers in England never came in contact with total abstainers; now he will meet them not infrequently. In England they have temperance hotels which prosper as they have never done in the United States, where even the temperance lecturer puts up at a house of another kind because it is better sustained and hence more comfortable. The Washington House in Liverpool, always a favorite of Americans, deserves their support now more than ever, since it has banished its bar and announced that it will furnish its guests with no liquor. Perhaps the pecuniary sacrifice of the temperance hotel in England is not so great as it is in America, since the profits on wines and liquors sold are not exceptionally great, while here they are enormous. Still another proof of the progress of temperance in England is the interest it excites among the young. Six weeks ago fifteen thousand children, organized as a Band of Hope, met to spend the day at the Crystal Palace; and all of them were from places near London. If the district has so many boys and girls pledged to total abstinence, the numbers in the Kingdom at large must be immense.

We do not know what methods of work have been adopted by our English friends. But we hope they are wise enough not only to be stimulated by our zeal, but also to be warned by our mistakes. They ought to avoid too much organization, for one thing. Some organization there must be. But it seems to us that the advocates of temperance here have been organized almost to death. We have twenty different sorts of societies, with as many different names, to prosecute the same work. Sometimes several of these will be found in the same town, dividing forces that are only too weak when united. We have secret societies and open societies, men's societies and women's societies and children's societies.

Another error they ought to avoid is that of civil war. A house divided against itself cannot stand. There should be a place in the one organization for every man, woman and child willing to fight the demon of intemperance, no matter on what theoretical grounds he bases his action. There should be a place for Dr. Richardson, who holds all sorts of wine and beer and spirits to be absolutely and only poisonous, and for other physicians who, while they prescribe them as remedies, oppose their use as beverages; for such men as Canon Farrar, who believes it lawful for the Christian to drink, but surrenders the privilege out of love for his fellows; and for such men as Dr. Howard Crosby, who has wine on his table, but makes a heroic fight against the public grog-shop. Is any man willing to do anything heartily to check the vice and misery which flow from the drinking habits of society? He should be hailed as a helper, though he may differ on many points from the soldier marching by his side. No strength should be wasted in internal conflicts; the common enemy is so strong that we need the aid of all who are willing to give it in any way.

In some of our communities the temperance movement has been wholly one of season; in others it has assumed almost wholly a political character; but in almost none has it banded together the friends of temperance for the determined execution of such laws as we have for the regulation and restraint of the liquor traffic. Dr. Crosby has the honor of proposing to enlist good men in an effort to enforce the laws as they stand. His example might well be imitated in England, and far more largely in this country. We must keep the public sentiment aroused by agitation. We must pull the drunkard from the fire. We must save the children. We must secure lagislation. But, beyond all this, we must be willing to spend some money and time and energy in prosecuting those who sell liquor illegally at our very door. Sometimes they will appeal to our pity. Sometimes they will prove to be respectable druggists whom we dislike to expose and disgrace. Sometimes they will prove to so ignorant and so low that we may hesitate to touch them. We should preserve a wholesome rigor, remembering that only thus can we accomplish any good purpose. If men could see something immediately practical growing out of the temperance movement, they would join it in larger numbers. Often they have not time or inclination for other modes of activity, while yet they are able to appreciate and approve the actual suppression of a great evil, even if it be accomplished only in part. If our English friends will keep all the present features of their effort, and in addition resolve themselves into a society somewhat like that of Dr. Crosby, in New York, whose object shall be to use such enactments as can be obtained to see that the laws are enforced, no matter on whom their weight may fall, they will prove wiser than we are this side the ocean, who have confined ourselves too exclusively to moral and political activity, and have neglected too often the enforcement of such laws as our legislators have given us. We rejoice in their prosperity, and predict that they will out strip us in the work if they preserve the speed with which to-day they are increasing in numbers, and if they act with careful forethought, as well as with zeal.

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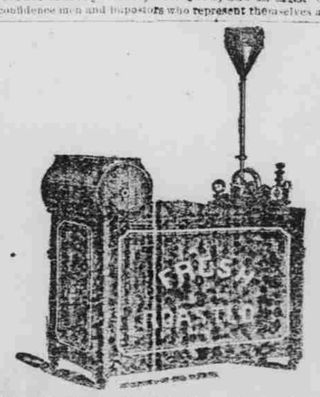

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